

Amendment No. 1 to SB0662

Cooper  
Signature of Sponsor

**AMEND Senate Bill No. 662**

**House Bill No. 521\***

**FILED**

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Time \_\_\_\_\_

Clerk \_\_\_\_\_

Comm. Amdt. \_\_\_\_\_

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and by substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 50, Chapter 6, Part 3, is amended by adding the following as a new section:

§ 50-6-308. The provisions of § 50-6-112(c) do not apply to any death or disability claim due to or resulting from an asbestos-related disease or coal worker's pneumoconiosis.

SECTION 2. The provisions of this act are declared to be remedial in nature and as such the provisions of this act shall be liberally construed to effectuate its purpose.

SECTION 3. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to that end the provisions of this act are declared to be severable.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it and shall apply to any claim diagnosed or filed on or after its effective date and to any pending claim in which the trial has not commenced as of such effective date.